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Election of five members of the Programme Coordination Board of the Joint and Co-sponsored United Nations Programme on Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (HIV/AIDS)

Note by the Secretary-General

Addendum

1. The Programme Coordination Board of the Joint and Co-sponsored United Nations Programme on Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (HIV/AIDS) has 22 members. In accordance with decision 1995/223 of 5 May 1995, the Economic and Social Council is to elect, from among States Members of the United Nations as well as observer States, five members of the Programme Coordination Board for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2000 to fill the vacancies that will occur on 31 December 1999 upon the expiration of the terms of the following members: Australia, Côte d'Ivoire, Finland, Mexico and Thailand.

2. The five members are to be elected according to the following pattern:

One member from African States;
One member from Asian States;
One member from Latin American and Caribbean States;
Two members from Western European and other States.

3. The current membership of the Programme Coordination Board is given in the annex below.

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Annex

Programme Coordination Board of the Joint and Co-sponsored United Nations Programme on Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (HIV/AIDS)

(22 members; three-year term)

Membership in 1999

Five members from African States

Algeria (2000), Côte d'Ivoire* (1999), Gabon (2001), South Africa (2000), United Republic of Tanzania (2001)

Five members from Asian States

China (2000), India (2001), Japan (2000), Philippines (2001), Thailand* (1999)

Two members from Eastern European States

Poland (2000), Russian Federation (2001)

Three members from Latin American and Caribbean States

Barbados (2000), Brazil (2001), Mexico* (1999)

Seven members from Western European and other States

Australia* (1999), Belgium (2000), Finland* (1999), Germany (2001), Spain (2001), Switzerland (2000), United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (2000)

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* Retiring member